MEMORANDUM

TO: Honorable Alice M. Batchelder

Sixth Circuit Court of Appeals Potter Stewart U.S. Courthouse

100 East Fifth Street Cincinnati, Ohio 45202

FROM:

U.S. District Judge R. Allan Edgar

SUBJECT: Advance Authorization for Investigative, Expert or Other Services

It is requested that authorization be granted to obtain services in an amount in excess of the maximum allowed under the provisions of subsection (e)(3) of the Criminal Justice Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3006A, as follows:

Case Name & Designation: USA vs. Christian Omar Mungilla-Sorrento - Case No. 1:04-cr-122

Name of Expert or Investigator: Marc Lawrence

Address: 1010 Market Street, Suite 204, Chattanooga, Tennessee 37402

Type of Expert: Investigative Services and Interpreter Services

Reason for Application: The reason for the application is set out in the attached Motion for Fees In Excess of Statutory Amount for Investigator and Affidavit. Counsel for defendant has advised further investigator services will require an additional cost of \$1,600.00 for a total approved amount of \$3,200.00.

Estimated Compensation. \$3,200.00

I certify that the estimated compensation in excess of the maximum set forth in subsection (e)(3) of the Criminal Justice Act appears necessary to provide fair compensation for services of an unusual character or duration and therefore recommend approval of this authorization in the amount of an additional \$1,600.00

U.S. District Judge R. Allan Edgar

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